

WAR CANNOT BE AVERTED

Epitome of the President's Message.

SPAIN MUST YIELD ALL

The Evacuation of Cuba Insisted Upon.

ALL MEDIATION IS DECLINED

Spain Will Be Held Responsible

for the Destruction of the Maine and Her Crew.—The Vatican Using Its Best Efforts to Induce Spain to Concede the Demands of the Cubans.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The Washington Post says that unless Spain, within forty-eight hours, yields all by surrounding Cuba, war cannot be averted. It sums up the situation as follows:

"President McKinley's message to congress will be a ringing, vigorous document that promises to meet the full expectation of congress and the people.

"The destruction of the battleship Maine and the slaughter of 266 officers and seamen serving under the United States flag will be commented upon in strong language and Spain will be held responsible for that disaster. The President will make no direct recommendation, but his message will point clearly to the necessity of armed intervention to restore order and peace. He will not recommend the recognition of the independence of the island because the insurgents have no established form of government and the President and cabinet believe that a travesty would be presented to the world if, following the recognition of independence, the United States should, as the result of war, take that independence away by seizing or annexing the island.

"The President's message will be equivalent to a declaration of war and hostilities can now only be averted by Spain yielding all.

"Pope Leo XIII is mediating between Spain and Cuba.

"The United States has ceased all negotiations and will not accept mediation.

"The administration and congress have no alternative but war."

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The President has completed his Cuban message and it will be presented to congress on Wednesday. Secretary Long, after the special cabinet meeting tonight, authorized the Associated Press to make this statement: "The message which in itself is long, will be accompanied by the consular reports dealing with the state of affairs in Cuba. These will go to the committee on foreign relations of the senate for their private information and will not be made public just now. The diplomatic correspondence between the United States and Spain will not be submitted at the present. The cabinet meeting lasted from 9 until 11 o'clock and was devoted entirely to the careful reading and discussion of the President's draft of his message. Every member of the cabinet was present. The document was gone over point by point and met with the approval of the cabinet in every detail. The only changes made were in a few points of verbiage.

When the meeting was over and the members dispersed there was a general air of relief and satisfaction on all faces, as though the air had been cleared of doubt and the members firmly resolved on what they deemed the proper course of action, had set out to follow the course to its logical conclusion. The suspense evidently was over.

Secretary Long apparently had been deputized as spokesman for the meeting and gave the above brief statement. As to the character of the message he refused to say. It was learned from other sources, however, that the message is in part a review of Spain's course in the present and previous wars in Cuba. That it will contain some definite recommendations may be inferred from the remark of one member. "While I can say nothing explicit concerning the details of the message," said he, "I may say that it is a strong, explicit statement

and one with which congress will be thoroughly in accord."

It was suggested that congress was pretty thoroughly in accord with the President's resolution, but nothing more explicit could be obtained.

It is understood that while the consular reports are withheld from the public for the present, out of regard for their authors, who are still in Cuba, that their publication is not deemed essential by the cabinet. One member, in discussing this point, said: "They contain only information which has by this time been quite thoroughly presented to the public from other sources."

From the fact that the diplomatic correspondence is not presented with the message, it is inferred that its main features are touched on in the message itself, whether in the form of extracts or merely in substance.

The fact that the autonomist cabinet of Cuba has issued an appeal to the insurgents for an armistice, with the idea of arranging peace, is regarded here by the best informed members of the administration to be simply a covert effort to induce the Cubans to surrender. It is not taken seriously, as the opinion is general that the insurgents will consider nothing of the kind.

EUROPEAN POWERS.

They Are Seeking to Avert a Conflict.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Notwithstanding the many reports of European mediation they assumed their first tangible form this afternoon. At least two of the European establishments in Washington received notification that exchange of notes between the great powers was in progress, with a view at arriving at a basis on which they would make a joint proposal for mediation. It is evident that the exchange has not yet been productive of a common understanding as the ambassadors and ministers at Washington have not yet received instructions to initiate the movement. Their only information thus far is that telegrams are passing by telegraph between the capitals of Europe. It had been understood that France and Austria were most active in bringing about this movement and that Great Britain had held aloof from it, but it developed today that the British government was also taking part in the exchange and that in case of concerted action by the powers Great Britain would probably act with the others.

What common ground the powers are seeking to reach can only be conjectured. The Spanish government seems to be hopeful of results from this movement and this inspired additional ground for the belief that it will not be regarded with favor by the United States. The diplomats, however, think that a common understanding were reached by the great powers of Europe, such suggestions as these great powers would make could not be lightly set aside. The general view of the diplomats is that the movement is not so much one toward reconciling the United States and Spain as to preserve the peace of the world by combined action.

Spain's policy in this matter is one of urging the European powers that if Cuba was true from Spanish sovereignty the next move under the Monroe doctrine would be to bring an end to European control over Cuba. West Indian possessions, Great Britain, France and Denmark have interests in that locality. In other quarters it was stated that the influence of the powers was more likely to be asserted on Spain, urging her to the latest possible measure of concession.

HISTORIC CAMPING GROUND.

The Twenty-fifth Infantry to be Detained at Chicamauga.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—It has been decided to detain for a time at the Chicamauga battlefield the Twenty-fifth regiment of infantry, which is about to leave the various forts in Montana for service at Key West and Dry Tortugas. The reason for this action is said to be the fact that the water supply at either of the above named places is not satisfactory at present.

Chicamauga, General Miles says, is an excellent place for the concentration of a large body of troops, and it is believed the location has been seriously considered by Secretary Alger as a point for the preliminary gathering of troops in case of war.

PAPAL MEDIATION.

It Is Confined to Friendly Pressure on Spain.

Rome, April 4.—The Vatican refuse to publish the text of the communications which have passed between the Pontiff and Madrid, but the statement that his holiness has asked Spain to arrange for a suspension of hostilities in Cuba is confirmed. The Osservatore Romano, reviewing the situation unofficially, says: "We must regard America's demands as excessive, especially as Spain has proposed to submit the whole administration

question to the insular parliament. It is difficult to perceive on what pretext Washington could declare war, even if so disposed, and we have confidence that the wisdom and moderation of President McKinley with the practical common sense of Americans will avert the horrors of war."

The Italia, confirming the report as to the communications that have passed between the Vatican and the Spanish government, says: "The prospect that mediation will eventually be offered is not excluded, but the greatest difficulty will be to induce the United States to accept the Pope as arbitrator."

BALTIMORE, Md., April 4.—Cardinal Gibbons was asked today about his reported interview with President McKinley yesterday in regard to the mediation of the Pope in the trouble between Spain and the United States. He said: "There is not a word of truth in it. I have not seen the President for some time. Nevertheless I hope for peace, and today I am glad to say, the outlook appears to be better."

LONDON, April 5.—The Rome correspondent of the Daily Mail says: Archbishop Ireland has cabled deprecating a formal offer of intervention and explaining that the Pope could only intervene successfully by recognizing the Monroe doctrine which would be impolitic. A rumor is current here that Emperor William first broached the idea of papal mediation, and was warmly seconded by Austria.

The solution the Vatican proposes is an armistice to save Spanish troops during the rainy season, allow excitement on both sides and prepare the way for Cuban independence in the autumn. Spain is agreeable to this, but there is little hope that the Cuban insurgents, or their American sympathizers will accede to the proposal.

CALIFORNIA PATRIOTS.

Sacramento and Stockton Full of Enthusiasm.

SACRAMENTO, April 4.—Spencer K. Skeels of this city has received a letter from Secretary of War Alger, which gives a local color to the talk of war.

Mr. Skeels is asked by the Secretary of War if he will consent to report at Washington at once to accept the post of captain of artillery in the regular army.

Mr. Skeels was a major of artillery under General Howard and fought at the battle of Manila. For several years he has been in the service of the United States army, recently ordered to Key West. When he was scarcely 21 years of age Skeels was in charge of four companies of artillery at Gettysburg.

George W. Ficks, who has opened a volunteer recruiting office in this city for the purpose of getting up a company to be tendered to the government, reports today that there were enrolled fourteen additional names, making forty-two names enrolled up to date.

STOCKTON, April 4.—The following advertisement has been inserted in Stockton papers: "With a view of being prepared in the event of war, a special institution is hereby tendered to patriotic men between the ages of 18 and 45 to enlist in Company A, Sixth Infantry regiment, N.G.O., thereby gaining a military education which may prove of great benefit. Enlistments made at the armory of Company A between 7 p.m. and 10 p.m. every evening.

"(CHARLES H. DASHIEH, "Captain Company A, "Sixth Infantry Regiment."

UNEASINESS AT HAVANA.

Preparations for a Hasty Exodus of Americans.

KEY WEST, Fla., April 4.—Acting under orders from Washington, Captain Sampson, commander of the United States fleet in these waters, sent the survey boat Blake today from Tortugas to Havana. Her sailing orders were dispatched late this afternoon over the new cable and an hour later the Blake was on her way to Cuba. It is rumored here that she goes to afford safe passage for American passengers should a riot occur in Havana or war be declared. The survey boat Blake, now in this harbor, was also ordered to proceed to Havana, but these instructions were countermanded before she got away. The Peru is still at Havana, but her accommodations are very limited. The Manzanera, which was lying at the dock here, received unexpected orders to proceed to Havana tonight and sailed immediately. The usual exciting rumors regarding trouble in Havana ran riot after her departure.

BONBASTES BAILEY

Talks to the Galleries and Is Silenced by Mr. Cannon.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—While there was no attempt to force consideration of a resolution regarding the Cuban situation in the house, there was a brief outbreak, in the course of which the warlike temper of the crowded galleries was so evident that Speaker Reed threatened to clear them if it was repeated. The outbreak occurred over a bill to authorize the President to erect temporary fortifications in case of emergency upon land when the written consent of the owners was obtained, without awaiting the long process of legal condemnation.

The bill, as demanded by Mr. Bailey, the Democratic leader, for information as to the facts which warranted all these war measures. The particular statement which aroused the galleries was to the effect that while the Democrats were willing to wait any reasonable time for the President to transmit a message, they would not wait a minute for him to continue negotiations with the butchers of Spain.

When the demonstration in the galleries were rebuked by the speaker he declared that the galleries were the American people in miniature.

Mr. Cannon accused Mr. Bailey of "posturing" and playing to the galleries. The bill was passed and it was arranged that the army reorganization bill should be taken up on Wednesday unless a report was made from the committee on foreign affairs. The remainder of the day passed without incident in the transaction of District of Columbia business.

Mrs. Pyle's Trial Fixed.

SANTA QUER, April 4.—The trial of Mrs. Minnie M. Pyle for mayhem was today set for April 13.

WHAT WEBSTER THINKS.

The Late Populist Candidate for Governor Speaks.

From the Haverfield Echo. The Visalia News is publishing a good many letters from members of the Populist state central committee on the subject of fusion with the Democrats this year. The most of these letters are strong against such action, it is written apparently believing that there is something in the party's principles besides 10 to 1. J. V. Webster, the nominee for governor in 1894, has this to say in his letter:

"In reply will say, I think your head is level on the proposition of 'fusion.' I believe there should be no uncertain sound relating to this matter, and in order to test the disposition of the state central committee I propose to introduce a resolution at its next meeting, in effect that the Populist party of this state, and in every subdivision thereof, shall not nominate nor endorse any candidate for a state office, for the legislature, or for congress who will not unequivocally pledge support of the principles of the platform which may be adopted at our next state convention. And in case this provision should be ratified by said state convention, it should be made the duty of the state central committee to publicly repudiate any nomination made in conflict with the provision of this platform."

Nearly all of the writers advocate an early state convention—some saying as early as June or July—a strong outspoken platform and a full state ticket.

"Husky" Chance Is All Right.

From the Chicago News.

"The work done by young Chance, Chicago's pony catcher, must have tickled the cranks immensely when they read the news from Savannah. Chance caught for the Savannahs against the Orioles, made two hits, had four difficult put outs and caught no less than four men trying to steal bases. Any catcher who, even in spring practice, can nip four Baltimore base runners must be all right and a sure winner. If Chance can but the ball will be easy. It is evidently what Jim Hart has been wanting—a big catcher who can throw and has a baseball head. The head can be improved by practice. The size and throwing powers are there already."

HUGS AND KISSES

What Her Uncle Said About Grace Jones.

Osaculated With Tom Mullin, But No Evidence to Prove Adultery.

TOM MULLIN, the thrifty young West Side rancher, was before Justice Austin yesterday for his preliminary examination on the charge of "kidding and abetting" Grace Jones to commit adultery.

The hearing resulted in Mullin's discharge, the evidence being insufficient to warrant his being held. J. J. Cowles, uncle of the woman who deserted her husband and created a sensation on the West Side, was the principal witness for the prosecution. He told how "Tom" and "Grace" became spoonies shortly after the woman's arrival from her home in San Rafael. He said that they hugged and kissed before the members of his family. "Why me and the old woman never jollied around so pleasant as them two," said the old man, and he blinked his eyes as if to intimate that in his youthful days he was a pretty warm lover himself.

He described how the love making of the couple became unbearable and he ordered the girl from his home one evening when she came in from a playful stroll on the bank of a romantic ditch with Tom Mullin. Because of this Cowles' wife hit him over the eye with a hub-nailed shoe and then gathered up her duds, departing on the first train for a prolonged stay on the coast.

The young wife who had tired of her spouse accompanied Mullin to his home, Cowles said. For two or three weeks she was engaged as a cook and then came to Fresno to join her living.

Mr. Arthur Cowles testified in regard to Mullin keeping the new cook. Miss Nora Cowles also testified in regard to the lovers hugging and kissing. The prosecution was strong in exculpatory testimony, but weak in proving anything else, and the case was dismissed.

An Impostor Arrested.

LOS ANGELES, April 4.—Sheriff Burr this morning caused the arrest at San Jose of Dr. A. W. Maltland, who imposed on a number of people here by representations of great wealth and defrauded them to a considerable extent.

A Child Burned to Death.

SACRAMENTO, April 4.—The five-year-old daughter of Antonio Jessie, a Portuguese laborer who lives at Oak Hill, near this city, was burned to death shortly after noon day while playing with a fire she had built in the yard.

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New Easter Neckwear.

The latest novelties in Ladies' Easter Neckwear in Silk and Liberty Chiffon.

PARASOLS.

Our line of Parasols is now complete. In addition to the Plain Black Silk and Gloria Sunshades we show new Carriage Parasols, Coaching Parasols in Chiffon, Plaid and Stripe Silks; also a large assortment of White Silk and Chiffon Parasols.

Silk and Wash Waists.

Waists made by the best manufacturers, guaranteed to fit. Newest styles and fabrics at moderate prices. Such is our Waist stock.

EASTER SPECIAL IN OUR HOSIERY DEPARTMENT.

In order to introduce our new 10-Gauge Real Mero Cotton Yarn 25c Hosiery we shall place them on

SPECIAL SALE ON THURSDAY, APRIL 7TH, AT 20c A PAIR.

These Hosiery are made with double toes and high apical heels, and are usually sold by the dealers at 35c a pair. In order to have all our customers receive some of these exceptional values we shall place the limit at six pairs to each customer.

EASTER SPECIAL

—IN OUR—

Fancy Goods Department

ON FRIDAY, APRIL 8th.

250 DOZEN SWISS EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS, 15c EACH, worth 25c each, for this day at.....

SPECIAL SALE IN OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT

ON FRIDAY, APRIL 8th.

200 PAIRS LADIES' DARK TAN OXFORD TIES, with flexible soles, new color, good wearing shoes, actual value \$1.50, all sizes and widths, for this day at..... A PAIR, 95c

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With goods which cost less, because they're worthless. Stick to a brand which is honestly made and fairly sold—OLD CROW, O. K. ROSEDALE WHISKY and SCHLITZ BEER.

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Geo. H. Monroe, Druggist, 1926-28 Mariposa Street, Between J and K Sts., Fresno, Cal. Telephone No. 74.



# PERKINS ON THE WARPATH

## The Senator Calls for Prompt Action.

## Delay Would Mean National Disgrace

## And Make This Country an Accessory to a Most Appalling Crime.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—It was frankly and openly charged in the senate today by Mr. Perkins of California, in a speech, that Spain was responsible for the Maine disaster, as it had been brought about by Spanish machinations and Spanish treachery. The speech of Mr. Perkins was only one of four prepared addresses on the Cuban question delivered in the senate today. Mr. Clay of Georgia, while hoping for a peaceful solution of the problem of the country is now facing, declared strongly in favor of independence of the Cubans and pledged to the administration the loyal support of the senate, which, in the event of war, would have to bear the brunt of the conflict. Mr. Perkins took subsequently the same ground, and his vigorous treatment of the Maine disaster aroused the crowded galleries to enthusiastic applause. Mr. Mantle of Montana, while expressing confidence in the administration, maintained that the time for action had now arrived, and that action must be taken to end the Cuban question. Mr. Rawlinson of Utah entirely eliminated from consideration in his speech, holding that the case against Spain was already made up, and that with congress ready the responsibility of declaring war.

To wait longer was only to invite criticism. He declared for the most vigorous action which he asked should be taken. After the Cuban question had been delivered the senate resumed consideration of the sundry civil bill and finished thirty-three pages before adjourning. Despite the specific statement that the President's message would not be sent to congress today, and the information that the subject might not be even referred to, people came to the capital by the thousands.

It was a great audience that looked down upon the chamber when the senate convened. Every seat in the gallery, except the diplomatic, was filled, and even in the diplomatic gallery there were several members of foreign legations.

Mr. Pettigrew of South Dakota presented a telegram signed by more than a hundred of his constituents, which said: "All parties here want Spanish torpedoes flung back or destroyed."

Mr. Turner of Washington introduced a resolution which he asked should be passed until tomorrow if in the meantime nothing has been done in the matter. The resolution requires the committee on foreign relations to report at the earliest moment, without waiting for the concurrence or advice of any department of the government, what action, if any, in view of the disaster to the Maine and of the deplorable condition of Cuban affairs, should be taken to preserve the honor and dignity of this country.

Quite unexpectedly, discussion of the Cuban question was precipitated and two set speeches were delivered upon it. Mr. Clay of Georgia made a strong plea for the independence of Cuba, basing his remarks upon the Foraker resolution. He maintained, however, that the President ought to be offered every opportunity to bring about a diplomatic solution of the difficulty. Though he was for the recognition of the independence of Cuba, he said he would await the President's recommendations. "I believe," he said, "in the independence of Cuba, and if Spain will not agree to it that the United States must enforce it with all the power of her land and naval forces. The people of the south believe in the peaceful solution of the question, but they are willing to employ force if necessary."

In opening a set speech upon the Cuban question, Mr. Perkins of California said that he felt it his duty to speak not only for himself, but in the behalf of the people whom he represented. He eulogized the conduct of the President for the calm, dignified and conservative manner in which he had handled the grave problem presented for his solution. Those who were in power fully realized the necessity for the preservation, if possible, of peace. President McKinley, General Woodford, our Minister to Spain, and General Lee had been distinguished in battle, and he believed that their judgment and discretion could be depended upon to guide the country safely and truly.

Mr. Perkins referred briefly to the scheme instituted by Weyler to starve more than a million of Spanish subjects into submission, and declared that nothing in all history compared with the atrocity and brutality that Weyler had exercised against the Cubans. The time for action had, in his opinion, arrived.

"A little more delay," said he, "a little more waiting and the United States would become an accessory to the greatest, the most appalling crime in history. The patience of a great nation has its limits, and in this case, the limit has been reached. The time for the horrors in Cuba to continue has come and must come to an end."

"Right, justice and humanity demand that the government should intervene to stop the cruel warfare being waged by Spain against the Cuban insurgents—a people who are struggling for their freedom, within ninety miles of our shores." Mr. Perkins, who has had a lifetime experience in the handling of great events, discussed the Cuban question from the point of view of an experienced statesman. He declared that our editors and officers had been beguiled by the deception of the Spaniards to a place in a friendly harbor and there, without a moment's warning, been blown into atoms. Captain Schages, in commenting to this government a brief report of the Cuban disaster, had made himself famous in the eyes of the civilized world by the diplomacy and calm-

ness of his language. There was no proof of the treachery of the Spaniards; but while the nation believed and still believes that the catastrophe was due to Spanish devices, Captain Schages has sought to suspend judgment until the facts are known.

"For forty days and nights the people have suspended judgment, but now, that the facts have been laid before them, the verdict, Mr. Perkins said, is unanimous that the great battleship was blown up, not only from the outside, but with the cognizance of the Spanish officials, for whom acts the Spanish government was fully responsible. The explosives, whether they were in a mine or a torpedo, were placed under the Maine by the officials of the Spanish government. The people believe that the vessel was exploded by design, and he was one who held to that belief. It would have been impossible, Mr. Perkins said, for any man or set of men to place in the harbor of Havana mines or torpedoes without the knowledge of the government authorities. No impartial judge would fail to place the responsibility of the crime upon the Spanish government, through its authorized officials. This most hideous crime of the nineteenth century," declared Mr. Perkins, "was an act of war, and I believe that it is so regarded by the nations of the world."

"No offer of reparation would wipe out the feeling of the people of this country upon the matter, and intensity had been added to that feeling by the almost frivolous manner by which the disaster had been treated by Spain."

Mr. Perkins said that while he favored arbitration, and would never attempt to raise the question of honor, and nations could not afford to submit such questions to arbitration, Gold could not atone for the loss of these precious lives. The only honorable action for this country now to take was to intervene and free Cuba from the yoke of Spain and her cruel and brutal rule."

Mr. Mantle of Montana, followed with an extended speech upon the absorbing topic of Cuba, in which he declared that he favored the independence of the Cuban people, who for years had been struggling for their freedom. "I would," said he, "give my unqualified enforcement of the veto in favor of directing the President to use armed force, both land and naval, to suppress the anarchy that is now rampant upon that island." He had the highest regard for the present occupant of the White House, but it was perfectly evident to all that the time for diplomatic negotiations on the Cuban question had passed.

The time for action had arrived, and the sooner it was taken the better it would be for all concerned. Spain had violated every principle of civilized warfare and had thrown humanity to the winds. Mr. Mantle said it was time that the cry of humanity and the cry for stern justice should be heard.

At the conclusion of Mr. Rawlinson's speech the senate adjourned until tomorrow. An amendment offered by Mr. Hancher of North Dakota, providing for additional regulations and restrictions on mining lands in Alaska and South Dakota as for forest reservations, was discussed at length.

Mr. Chandler of New Hampshire precipitated the discussion by asking for an explanation of the amendment. The explanation was given in a speech by Messrs. Teller of Colorado, Wilson of Washington, Stewart of Nevada and Sherman of Idaho.

At 5 o'clock without disposing of the amendment the senate, on motion of Mr. Allison of Iowa, went into executive session and soon afterward adjourned.

### THE ICE-BOUND WHALERS SAVED.

NANAIMO, B. C., April 4.—Captain W. F. Tilton of the schooner Belvidere, one of the whaling fleet imprisoned at Point Barrow, Alaska, arrived here today on the steamer Albion. Captain Tilton left the fleet about six months ago and came out overland to Copper River, where he took passage on the Albion. Captain Tilton reports that the whaling season in Alaska was not so good as in previous years, and that the whalers were waiting for the ice to break up.

### Montana Elections.

HELENA, Mont., April 4.—At the city election held today the Republicans elected Mayor, Treasurer, Police Judge and four of the seven Aldermen. The Democrats elected seven and the Silver Republicans one. The next council will stand twelve Democrats to four Republicans and Silver Republicans.

### Sugar Beet Enterprise.

BROCKTON, April 4.—Farmers in the vicinity of New Hope are irrigating their lands and getting ready to plant sugar beets for a season's crop on grain lands that have failed. The seeding will be commenced as soon as the ground is dry enough to work. Tracts on Grand, Ryer and Brannon islands are being irrigated for the purpose. In all it is expected that 5,000 acres of beets will be grown in this county.

### The National Treasury.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balances, \$226,116,935; gold reserve, \$174,561,142.

### AN EXPERIMENTER.

Produced a Change in Functions in 4 Days.

A man remarked that he had heard so much about the benefit of using Postum Food Coffee, that he would try it and see if it did him in his right side (liver) would leave. The grocer said he was all out of Postum but had some other "just as good." He tried it and found at the end of a week his trouble was no better.

A friend told him to insist on getting the Genuine Postum Food Coffee as all of the imitations having disappeared of producing a pure cereal coffee with a rich coffee taste, had to resort to putting a low grade coffee in their mixtures and was therefore really drinking the very thing he thought he got coffee.

"The next time I called for the genuine Postum with the red seal and the trade mark 'It makes red blood.' The grocer had just received a new case so I started in on Postum. I had it made black and rich and boiled about 20 minutes and it really has a richer, richer taste than any coffee I have ever had. G. J. Van Well, in 4 days time my liver pain was gone and I felt like a prince. I have two friends who were entirely cured of distressing stomach and bowel troubles by Postum. I go back to coffee now and then but every time I do, I have some kind of disease set in either of stomach, liver, bowels or heart. So what's the use of drinking something that breaks down the only body I have? Common sense teaches me to stick to Postum and good health."

### Frank and Grain Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4.—The following are prices furnished by the San Francisco Fruit Exchange, Jobbing:

New crop in carload—Apricots (large) per pound for Royal, 40¢; for Superior, 45¢; for Golden Wonder, 50¢; for Golden Wonder, 55¢; for Golden Wonder, 60¢; for Golden Wonder, 65¢; for Golden Wonder, 70¢; for Golden Wonder, 75¢; for Golden Wonder, 80¢; for Golden Wonder, 85¢; for Golden Wonder, 90¢; for Golden Wonder, 95¢; for Golden Wonder, 100¢.

Blackberries, in can, 25¢; for Golden Wonder, 30¢; for Golden Wonder, 35¢; for Golden Wonder, 40¢; for Golden Wonder, 45¢; for Golden Wonder, 50¢; for Golden Wonder, 55¢; for Golden Wonder, 60¢; for Golden Wonder, 65¢; for Golden Wonder, 70¢; for Golden Wonder, 75¢; for Golden Wonder, 80¢; for Golden Wonder, 85¢; for Golden Wonder, 90¢; for Golden Wonder, 95¢; for Golden Wonder, 100¢.

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### ADOLPH SATRO'S ESTATE.

Part of It to Be Sold to Pay His Debts.

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## THE CITY FATHERS

### Better Sanitary Regulations Urged

By the Health Board in a Communication.

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The Board of City Trustees met at 7:30 o'clock last evening, all the members being present.

S. J. Wilton, the police officer, asked for his annual leave of absence of ten days. It was granted with the understanding that the vacation would come out of the next fiscal year, as the petitioner already took his vacation for this fiscal year.

George W. Stevens applied to be appointed fire marshal for the ensuing year. He stated that he was an exempt member of the Fresno Volunteer Fire Department, having served the full five years. The petition was laid on the table.

The same action was taken in reference to the applications for the position of park gardener made by John Newman, Henry Schmidt, W. S. White and Ferdinand Menzel.

R. Pagano was granted a license to conduct a saloon at No. 1237 K street.

The quarterly report of City Treasurer C. H. Swift showed a balance on hand of the instant of \$31,751.40.

The following communication was received from the Board of Health:

"To the Honorable Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno:

"Gentlemen—The Board of Health beg leave to recommend to your honorable board the following:

"First—That all street sweeping shall be done after the hour of 11 p. m.

"Second—That better results would be obtained if the sprinkling of unpaved streets were performed in part, at least, during the night time.

"Third—That there shall be added to the Board of Health a practical plumber, one conversant with modern sanitary plumbing, whose duty it shall be to inspect all plumbing and cause it to conform with the rules adopted by the San Francisco Master Plumbers' Association.

"Fourth—That all cesspools, closets, etc., be abolished and all houses be connected to connect with the sewer system.

"Fifth—That there are now living a widespread, but mild epidemic of scarlet fever; that the large number of cases is attributable to the neglect of physicians in reporting such cases to the Health Officer, and we recommend that a considerable fine be imposed upon any physician who shall hereafter fail to report such cases within twenty-four hours.

"Sixth—That all quarantine shall be of at least two weeks duration and shall not be removed then except after proper fumigation and a certificate from attending physician; that all members of the family who desire to be exempt from quarantine must in no way expose themselves to the sick member; such exemption shall not apply to children attending school.

"Seventh—The present school system, so far as it compels residents of the city to send their children attending school outside the city limits, shall be abolished.

"Eighth—That the health board be granted power to quarantine against any section outside of the city limits when in the opinion of the board it would be detrimental to the health of our citizens to hold communication with such section, and this quarantine shall be maintained until the board shall be satisfied that such section has been placed in a proper sanitary condition.

"Q. L. LANG, President.

"C. H. ADAMS, Secretary and Health Officer."

Mr. Spinney said that he did not see what they could do, as there was already a city ordinance governing the matter, but that it had not been enforced.

"There seems to be no harmony in the Board of Health," remarked Trustee Chittenden.

It was decided to refer the communication to the committee on sewers and health to confer with the Board of Health about it, and it is likely that the present ordinance will be amended so as to give more power to the board.

Reports from committees were then

called for, and President Graycroft stated that he was chairman of the committee to which was referred the matter of building sidewalks on the sides of the streets adjacent to the court house ground, so as to do away with the hay market. He reported that the committee thought the cost too much and recommended that nothing be done.

Trustee Spinney reported on the matter of building a tower for the fire bell so that the alarms in cases of fire could be heard better. He obtained figures on the cost of the proposed tower and found that it would be about \$500. He did not think that the expenditure should be made this fiscal year.

The reports were accepted. Mr. Spinney suggested that one of the regular policemen be detailed to act as fire marshal during the dry months, when there is more danger of fires and when such an official is deemed necessary. The suggestion was adopted, and Mr. Spinney was instructed to see that one of the officers fire marshal immediately. It will be the fire marshal's duty to inspect all back yards and have rubbish destroyed that might be likely to cause a fire.

The Trustees from the Fifth ward complained that he had heard a great deal of complaint from people living in the southwestern part of town about profane language of roughs who congregated there. He thought that the police officers should not spend too much time in Chinatown, but should circulate around more on their beats so as to cover a larger amount of territory. The chief was directed to have his men wear out more shoe leather.

Some time ago the Trustees passed an ordinance directed against iron doors in Chinatown, and Mr. Spinney moved that it be now enforced. When it was passed it was understood that a sufficient time would be allowed for compliance with it, and it was thought that the parties owning buildings in the Mongolian quarter had ample time to substitute wooden doors for the ones calculated to thwart the police raids. It is expected that a number of arrests under the new ordinance will follow shortly.

It was then suggested that the board consider the applications for the position of gardener of the park, but after some discussion it was decided to hold a special meeting at 10 o'clock this forenoon in the office of Trustee Chittenden to consider the qualifications of the candidates. Mr. McVey suggested the name of J. W. Stillwell.

The matter of sewerage the packing houses was brought up by Street Superintendent Hilby, and an adjourned meeting will be held next Friday evening at 7:30 to consider it.

### A LUCKY STRIKE.

H. V. Parker of Fresno Developing a Rich Mine.

H. V. Parker has returned from Mariposa county, where he has been mining interests. Last July he commenced prospecting work in an abandoned mine that in early days turned out several fortunes. The mine was worked by Mexicans in a crude manner and over \$500,000 secured. After being closed for years on account of a law suit the owners inserted the property.

Mr. Parker secured possession of the mine last summer and began prospecting for the old lead. He says that his fondest hopes are being realized, and that a great body of rich ore is in sight after the expenditure of a small amount of money in development work. The mine is called the "Feliciana," and it is located about twenty miles northeast of Mariposa.

### THE FAST BOAT

Which Will Connect With the Valley Road.

The Greyhound Steamer of the Slough to be Launched on the 20th Inst.

The work of construction on the new steamer which will run between Stockton and San Francisco, connecting with the Valley road train from Fresno and other points in the valley, is progressing rapidly at the ship-yard of the California Navigation and Improvement Company at Stockton. The shape of the new vessel can now be seen, and it is quite narrow as compared with the other passenger boats operated between the Slough City and the metropolis. The hull is considerably deeper than that of the other vessels, and the draft looks as if it would be a regular greyhound on the slough.

There are practical ship-builders, however, who shake their heads dubiously when they look at the vessel being built for speed and declare that it will not be a success, as it will draw too much water, and it is certain that the water in the slough is so shallow that any kind of navigation is carried on with considerable difficulty. The new boat naturally has to have a deep hull to keep from blowing over in San Francisco bay, inasmuch as the new vessel is so narrow. The question is whether a steamer such as the one under construction can be built for the San Joaquin river and the San Francisco bay at the same time.

Manager Corcoran, however, who knows as much as anyone does about the San Joaquin river, is sanguine that the new boat will be a success and will cut the water of the river and round the many curves without dragging the mud and that she will be the green island boat of the state. The new craft has been called the H. J. Corcoran in honor of the manager of the company. She will be launched on the 20th of this month.

When the boat is in operation it will make the trip from Fresno to San Francisco a very pleasant one, as the boat is expected to make her way into her slip at the metropolis in about four hours from the time she leaves Stockton.

### Was Accidentally Stabbed.

Russel Menden accidentally stabbed his playmate, Ralph Harbison, yesterday morning. The boys attend the public school and were wrestling when the accident occurred. The knife struck Harbison in the side and cut a large gash. A rib prevented the blade from entering deeper and inflicting dangerous injury. Young Harbison was taken to his home, but no serious results are expected. It is doubtful that they will become careful in the future about playing roughly with an open knife in their hands.

### Unintentionally Profane.

From the San Francisco Post.

John Damm, a West Virginian, was married at a distance from home and received this telegram from the bride:

"I accept of you with all your faults. I hope you will be a good husband to the whole Damm family."

## STRUCK IT RICH

Kotzebue Sound Rivals the Klondyke.

A Letter From John Ross, Who Panned Out \$50,000 in Ten Days.

A number of Fresno county men will prospect the gold fields at Kotzebue Sound in Northern Alaska the present season, and the following extracts from a letter received by J. A. Halston of San Francisco recently, from his friend, John Ross, who struck a bonanza in that district, will be of interest:

RANNEY CITY, November 16, 1897.

Friend Halston: You will be surprised if this letter reaches you. Remember when I left you at St. Michaels on the 27th of last June. You were bound for Dawson, and all those at St. Michaels were very much excited when Clarence Barry arrived there from Dawson with so much dust. You left on the Bella on the 28th of June, and on the following day I left with the natives in a skin boat for Port Clarence, that being as far as I could induce the natives to go. From there I got another native with a skin boat to take me to Kotzebue Sound, but I could not induce him to go up the river unless I gave him whiskey. Not having the requisite I was obliged to look for some one else. Not having much trade in their line, I was finally obliged to give them what tobacco I had for our own use.

Jack Hayes had a gallon of alcohol and some drugs, and with this we made about four gallons of whiskey. With this we finally induced the natives to continue up the Kubuck (Kowak) river, as far as we wanted to go.

Our original intention was to go as far as Fort Cosmos, but before we got there the Indians told us two white men had gone up before us and were on a small stream where they were getting plenty of gold. We thought this too good to be true, but concluded to follow on around to where they were. Imagine our surprise to find them with not less than \$25,000, which they had taken out in fifteen days. The mosquitoes were nearly hell, and as we had not much provision we started to do our best. Our fond hopes were more than realized, and in twenty days we cleaned up with, I should think, about \$50,000.

This was about August 25, and our two friends were thinking of coming down the river in the hopes of getting to St. Michaels before the last boat would leave for San Francisco. They started, but we concluded to stay ten days longer and take our chances in getting out. Two days after they left a native who had been further up the stream hunting deer came back with plenty of fresh meat and a nugget that will weigh not less than twenty ounces. I gave him the last plug of tobacco I had for it. I tried to put with the last plug, for gold was more plenty now than tobacco. We went up on the creek. The native led the way to a small ridge where he found it, and we commenced work and found it in such quantities as to make us almost crazy, often getting ten ounces to the pan. In ten days we washed out \$50,000.

Having this will reach you, I send it with the mail that is going to leave here tomorrow. I am paying \$500 postage on it, but that is nothing, as I have better around than any on the Klondyke, as you will say when you see it. Kotzebue is the richest spot on earth.

JOHN ROSS.

### WANT MORE WATER.

Action by Scandinavian Colony Farmers Last Saturday.

The farmers of Scandinavian colony and vicinity met last Saturday evening for the purpose of continuing their agitation for more water. They do not believe they are getting their share of water and passed the following resolutions:

"Whereas, The Fresno Canal and Irrigation Company, a corporation, has for several years past been collecting an annual tax or assessment from the land owners of the Scandinavian colony and the National colony, the consideration for which was that said Canal and Irrigation Company should furnish to the holders of its water-rights water in sufficient quantities to irrigate their respective lands; and

"Whereas, In truth and in fact the said canal company has not furnished said water for irrigation according to the terms of its contract, or the spirit of the law in such cases made and provided;

"Now, therefore, we, the undersigned, believe it to our best interest to institute legal proceedings to protect our interest in the premises as may be equitable and just.

To accomplish said purpose, or to take what steps may be necessary in the premises, we state that we are, according to our water rights, entitled to the amount of water not opposite our respective names."

Several arguments were made in support of immediate action and no dissenting voice was raised in opposition to the resolutions. It was decided to consult ex-Judge Harris in regard to the legal rights of the colonists and F. M. Ruedler was appointed a committee of one to interview him. There will be another meeting at Scandinavian school house on next Saturday evening, and Mr. Harris' advice in this matter will be considered.

## Pure Blood

Every thought, word and action takes vitality from the blood; every nerve, muscle, bone, organ and tissue depends on the blood for its quality and condition.

Therefore pure blood is absolutely necessary to right living and healthy bodies. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best blood purifier and the best Spring Medicine. Therefore it is the great cure for scrofula, salt rheum, humors, sores, rheumatism, catarrh, etc.; the great nerve, strength builder, appetizer, stomach tonic and regulator.

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AS THE SALE COMMENCES

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Will make reason of 1598 at my residence, one mile north of Fresno between Blackstone and Fresno avenues.

DESCRIPTION.

Bay stallion foaled March 10, 1890; star and two white hind feet; 16 hands high; weighs 1550 lbs.; fine mane and tail; good carriage; strong in every point where a trotting horse should be strong and weak nowhere; himself a trotting king, a sire of speed and his dam one of the most famous young brood mares living; sire of Huntington, 2:20 1/2, and four others if trained this season will beat 2:20; one has shown a 2:08 gal.

PROVEN.

Sired by Matadon 3392, son of Onward 1411; first dam Athalia (dam of Athalia 2:10; Athaviv, 2:15); Athina, 2:20; and Athadon, record at 1 year old 2:27 by Harkaway 11808; second dam Mag by Athalia 103; third dam by Vandal (Cy Kinney).

Full tabulated pedigree furnished on application.

TERMS.

I have reduced fee from \$50 to \$25 for the season; money due at date of service; usual return privilege. Mares pastured at \$2 per month.

Good horses are always saleable property. Druntings, frosts and thrips don't injure them. Athadon colts will be so valuable you will all wish you had one in two years from now.

GEO. L. WARLOW,  
Fresno, Cal.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram Lee, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERSIGNED, administrator of the estate of Hiram Lee, deceased, to the creditors of said estate, and to all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the law office of A. M. Drew, attorney for said administrator, Temple Bar building, Fresno city, Fresno county, California. This notice is also given for the transaction of the business of said estate in the county of Fresno.

March 10, 1898.

FRANK WILLIAMS,

Administrator of the estate of Hiram Lee, deceased.

A. M. Drew, Attorney for Administrator, de

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## RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

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FROM SEPTEMBER 10, 1897, trains will run as follows:

DESCRIPTION.

North-bound.

Passenger.

Mixed.

Stations.

South-bound.

Passenger.

Mixed.

Stations.

Stopping at intermediate stations when required.

Connections—At Stockton with steamboats of O. N. & L. Co., leaving San Francisco and Stockton at 6 p. m. daily; at Merced with stage to and from Hollister, Coalinga, etc.; also with stage from Hollister, Coalinga, etc.; at Lander with stage to and from Lander.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY

THAT IS WHAT WE FOLLOW:

12:55 a. m.—Los Angeles Express—Daily, for Los Angeles, Los Angeles and intermediate points.

3:51 p. m.—San Jose Limited for the West—Every Wednesday and Sunday.

5:30 a. m.—Fresno—Daily, via Merced, for Merced, San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland, Ogden and East.

7:50 a. m.—San Francisco—Daily, for Fresno, Merced, Sacramento, Stockton, Colusa, Yuba City, Marysville, Hamilton City, Eureka, San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland, Ogden and East.

9:15 a. m.—Mixed train daily for Portland and way stations. Porterville to Fresno on Wednesday only.

9:25 a. m.—Mixed train—Daily, except Sunday, for Lathrop and all way stations.

11:10 a. m.—San Jose Express—Daily, via Merced and Lathrop, connects at Berkeley for Berkeley (Yosemite), at Lathrop for Stockton, Sacramento and the East via Ogden and Portland.

11:15 a. m.—Mixed train—Daily, except Sunday, for Colusa and all way stations.

Arrives at Fresno, returning, at 3:00 p. m.

12:30 p. m.—Sunday excepted—Fresno and Stockton Passenger—Daily, for Merced, Modesto, Lathrop, Stockton, San Francisco and way stations.

5:30 p. m.—Passenger Train—Daily, for San Jose, Merced, Lathrop, Porterville and way stations.

5:50 p. m.—New Orleans Express—Daily, for Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Riverside and East via El Paso and New Orleans.

6:15 p. m.—Mixed train for Colusa, Mendota and Portland.

11:38 p. m.—Night Limited for the East—Every Monday and Thursday.

11:50 p. m.—Express—Daily, for Colusa, Mendota, New Orleans, San Francisco, Sacramento, Ogden and East.

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healthy and agreeable substances, its

many excellent qualities commend it

to all and have made it the most

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Our Fancy Goods Department is a revelation of beauty. Every shelf and counter, every nook and corner is crowded with the best productions and the choicest styles of the world's greatest factories. It comprises European beauty, Oriental splendor and home elegance and refinement in a marked degree. The stock is superb, and buyers find the greatest pleasure in buying where the assortment is practically unlimited.

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This season are dreams of beauty and the prices lower than ever.

Special line Dotted Veiling 10c Yard.

Chenille Dotted Tuxedo Veiling, 18 inches wide, all colors. 25c Yard.

Cream or Butter Embroidered washable Net Veils. 25c Each.

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THE LATEST

In veils are the new Empire Semi Veils. The new streamers—"The Winner." We have a large assortment in all the latest colors.

PARASOLS.

Our range is immense and embraces everything new in pretty handles.

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Ladies' Gloria Parasols, in black paragon frame, 22 inches deep, for. 60c

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Genuine comfort for the hot weather, combined with beauty of form, is what you secure when you buy our Summer Corsets.

Splendid line in cross-stitch netting, reinforced lines, three side steels on each side. 35c

Special lot in bleached muslin, high neck. 10c Each.

Ladies' Cambric Corset Covers, perfect fitting, finished with embroidery. 20c Each.

Ladies' Cambric Corset Cover, all seams finished, yoke of fine embroidery, a bargain. 25c

LADIES' MUSLIN DRAWERS. Yoke band finished with hem, and cluster of tucks. 20c

LADIES' WHITE SKIRTS In splendid quality muslin, full width, with wide hem. 50c

LADIES' MUSLIN CHEMISES. Yoke of tucks, all seams finished, only. 25c

GREAT SPECIAL HOSIERY SALE

Tuesday, April 5, 1898.

Tuesday, April 5, 1898, we shall offer 60 dozen Ladies' Hosiery in black, brown, bronze and all the new shades of tints; also black with white feet for 25c a Pair.

These goods are made of the finest Maca Cotton, with high applied heels and toes and double soles, and at the price we quote are simply a gift, their real value being 40c a pair.

We shall also offer 60 dozen Children's Hosiery in all sizes from 5 to 10. These are in the pretty 1 and 1 rib, fine summer weight, and in same shade as ladies', good regular value for 45c. Sale price will be 25c a Pair.

GREAT LACE SALE

For Friday, April 8th.

We shall offer a charming line of fine Laces in Valenciennes, Nottingham, Point de Venise, Crochet, Lace in Cream or Butter, Oriental, Gimpure, Torchon, etc., wide widths, and splendid qualities, for 10c a Yard.

This will form a sensational collection at the price. Nothing approaching them in value has ever been offered in this city.

We confidently invite our patrons to take special cognizance of these sales. The values we offer are so extraordinary as to warrant us thoroughly in doing so.

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Prices on the best makes and latest styles of Shoes are cut all to pieces at the

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B. & M. Seaburo Beach lunch claims 12c per cent at Holland & Holland's.

Fresh fish today at City Market.

Wood and coal at Dorsey & Parker's.

Go to Beck Bros. for good rabbit drive pictures.

Regular meeting tonight of Raina Chapter No. 88, O. E. S.

Rent your wheels at Burton's Cycle, Telephone 89 Main.

Republican business office, telephone main 97. Editorial rooms, main 101.

The Orangutan lodge, I. O. O. F., will give a picnic at Kilgore grove on April 30th.

Tandems and singles for rent at Burton's Cycle, J. street, next to Army entrance.

Splendid rabbit drive photographs. Best in town. Alexander, 1823 Mariposa street.

Window and door screens at Fresno Planning Mill and Furniture Factory, 800 to 812 I street.

Imperial Fresno, on sale at Corley's, Riggs, Smith & Fonten's and the Imperial office.

Special prices for one week on roses, oranges and lemons at the Rancher Creek Nursery.

Just the thing to send to your friends in the East—"Imperial Fresno" in leatherette, 75 cents.

The case of the People against Garrison, petit larceny, will be held before Justice Walton at San Francisco Friday.

Herbert & Brooks, stationers, have removed to the Dominguez building, 1124 I street, next to W. Parker Lyon's.

Mrs. Mary Peterson, who died Sunday, was buried yesterday. The funeral took place from the Danish church at Easton.

Called meeting of Fresno Lodge No. 237, K. of A. M., Friday, April 8, 1898. Work in F. O. degree. By order W. M. S. L. Hogue, secretary.

Mrs. Frances Jennings Miner, mother of Mr. Miner, will be buried this afternoon. The funeral will take place from the residence of her son, 1749 I street.

If you have never had a good Polaroid go to Beck Bros., as they never fail to please the most fastidious. Merced street near J. Open Sunday until 2 p. m.

J. W. McDonald, a veteran of the late war, who has been ill at the county house for some time, is gradually becoming weaker and his end is said to be not far off.

The preliminary examination of Schultz, charged with selling liquor to Indians, will take place Friday at 10 o'clock before Justice Crawford at Firebaugh.

"Imperial Fresno," showing the resources, industries and scenery of Fresno county, may be had at the Republican office, 1823 Calaveras street. Leatherette, 75c, cloth \$1.00.

A crazy Chinaman was arrested yesterday. He was barefooted and frightened residents on Tuolumne street by running about in a frantic manner. He said that he killed a man.

Jeff Davis, who was tried recently for disturbing the peace of Mrs. A. J. Kirch of Acumey, was found not guilty by Justice Phillips, who gave his decision in the case yesterday.

A party who finds it necessary to dispose of his Kanaka mining stock will, within a few days, sell to the highest bidder thirty-seven shares as a whole or in part. \$65 per share has been offered. Inquire of Jacob Clark, 1058 J street.

District Attorney Snow has filed his brief in the case of Supervisor Garritt against Auditor Barnum, in which the District Attorney maintains the position taken by him in refusing to pass the bill in the first place, claiming that the authority to approve the Supervisor's claims lay with him.

The Southern Pacific Railroad company has brought a number of ejectment suits against persons who have settled on land on the West Side which was obtained by the railroad in 1897 upon the promise to build a road. The promise was not kept and the government gave the present settlers patents to the land.

The committees from the Farmers' Club, the Chamber of Commerce and the Hundred Thousand Club to obtain rights of way for the Monterey and Fresno air line road have been appointed and are as follows: Farmers' Club—Alex Gordon, T. G. White and W. H. Hodgkin. Chamber of Commerce—John Robinson, C. S. Pierce and E. L. Manheim. One Hundred Thousand Club—A. V. Lisenby, W. N. Rohrer and William Glass.

Stanton L. Carter's Mother Dead. Stanton L. Carter received a telegram Sunday evening informing him that his mother was not expected to live. He took Monday morning's train and when he got to Orest found his mother dead. His father died about two weeks ago and Judge Carter has since been quite ill himself.

Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens are guaranteed to give satisfaction; at Kiege's book store.

A speedy and positive cure for all liver, kidney and stomach complaints at Golden Rule Drug Store, 1730 Mariposa street.

On J Street. Fiester has removed to 1148 J street, between Mariposa and Fresno streets.

Bought and Sold. Diamonds, old gold and silver bought or sold for cash at H. O. Warner's, jeweler and optician, 1109 J street.

Bibles, Prayer Books and Hymnals, a good assortment at South & Fonten's.

Economy and Saving. A box of fine Toilet Soap given with every purchase of a dollar at the Golden Rule Drug Store, 1730 Mariposa street.

DEATH OF DR. BROWN. The Well Known Modern Physician Passed Away Last Evening. Dr. F. R. Brown of Madera died at his home in that city last evening about 10 o'clock, of blood poisoning, caused by a slight puncture on the thumb while operating on a gangrenous patient at the hospital about a week ago. The little soreness at first soon developed into violent inflammation of the arm, which swelled to the body, the systemic poisoning finally causing death by paralysis of the heart.

Dr. Brown was of English birth, but was a graduate in medicine of McGill University, Montreal, Canada. In earlier life he had been a teacher, but for several years previous to his coming to Madera, he practiced medicine in the mountains of Northern California. On the death of his brother, also Dr. Brown, a Madera sixteen years ago, he succeeded in his practice in that town and has ever since been one of the foremost physicians of the valley. He was a well educated man of literary tastes, of very strong and decided will and a good physician.

His loss will be felt by the community in which he lived, and deeply regretted by the physicians of the valley, by whom he was highly respected. He was 61 years of age. His surviving family consists of a wife and three children. He will be buried tomorrow, Wednesday, with Masonic rites, by the order of which he was a member.

## STILL UNCAUGHT

Train Robbers Keep Out of Sight.

Officers Returning From the Bandit Hunt.

Impression That the Railroad Company Expected Made to Get Shot.

The officers have again found themselves all at sea in reference to the immediate whereabouts of the Cross Creek bandits. Most of the men who had been out in the hills of Mariposa county hunting the robbers have returned, and they are now waiting to hear of the actions of the men in some other place so that they can get a fresh clue.

Jim Meade, the ex-sheriff of this county and at present railroad detective in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company, has been in Fresno for the last three days, and he has sent word to the superintendent that he was not going out on the hunt again until he got something tangible to work on. He remarked that he had written to inquire whether they desired him to return to his headquarters at Bakersfield, and indicated that if they did not that his connection with the company would be severed.

"You haven't sent in your resignation, have you?" asked a REPUBLICAN reporter.

"Well, I don't know that you'd call it a resignation," was the detective's rather evasive, but nevertheless significant response.

Mr. Meade stated that he was not traveling as a shotgun messenger on the train that was held up, but was merely on his way to Fresno to see his wife. He did not have his rifle with him, although he usually takes it along when he travels, and had nothing but a pistol. Of course, he was not able to cope with the robbers under the circumstances, and he did, in fact, more than most men would under the circumstances, handclapped as he was.

It is the impression, however, that the railroad company expected him to do something more, because he happened to be in their employ. The impression is that the officials of the road thought that he ought to make a showing—get killed, or something like that. Judging from what Meade says about his relations with the company it would appear as though something like that was in fact looked for.

Constable Youmans of La Grange returned yesterday from the hunt. He stated that he had no doubt that Cliff Hegan was one of the robbers, but that all trace of him had been lost and that there was no use in staying out in the part of the country where he was.

The officers were looking for him many miles away. He thought that nothing could be done until the bandits were heard of again. The officers have been unable to get any description of the supposed man, so he has managed to keep a clean conscience.

They have one bit of a description, but it is so trivial as to be practically useless. They know that he has a small head, for the fact that Hegan bought for him at the store in Indian Gulch was of a 6 1/2 size.

MADISON SCHOOL REPORT.

List of Pupils Who Excelled in Studies and Attendance.

The following is a report of Madison school for the seventh month ending April 1, 1898:

The pupils who were not absent during the month were: Blanche Barnum, Grace Farley, Hazel Manson, Ray Burham, Ray Fay, Ernest Georgeon, Guy Granger, Robert Manson, Henry Osterlund, Ellen Christensen, Esther Georgeon, Clara Hines, Lucie Griggs, Clara Hansen, Frankie Hansen, Ida Hickok, Estelle Hickok, Lucy Porter, Pearl Morford, Laurence Morgan, Marcia Maxson, Margaret Osterlund, Gilman Scott, Marion Talmann, Ingvald Talmann, Frank Watson, Robert Watson, Ethel Shields, Blanche Barnham, Ray Barnham, Carrie Hoffmann, Robert Manson, James Griggs, Hilda Christensen, Grace Farley, Ray Fay, Hazel Manson, Guy Granger.

Number of pupils enrolled during the month: Grammar department, 22; primary department, 30; percentage of attendance, grammar department, 92; primary department, 92.

L. E. PUGHMAN, Emma Davis, Teachers.

Found a Stolen Suit.

The officers have secured one of Jesus Walden's suits, stolen last week. It was found in a second hand store. The chief has not been apprehended. Constable Spencer came to Fresno with a prisoner yesterday whom he suspected of being the man who "swiped" Jesus's pants. The prisoner, James Martin, offered an overcoat for sale in Salina and was arrested. It was reported here that he was the thief and the officers turned him loose.

REPORT OF THE FISH AND GAME COMMISSION.

The Board of Supervisors met yesterday for the April session, and not only read the minutes but also allowed Mrs. M. J. Roeder, an indigent, \$8 and \$8 a month.

The report of A. D. Ferguson, the fish and game warden, was filed yesterday. He stated that ladders for fish to climb back into the rivers from the canals had been put in the Centerville, Kingsburg and Fowler switch outlets. The State Board of Fish Commissioners do not have authority to allow fishways on the canals of the Kings river, and he reported that the owners would carry out the work without delay.

He reported that very little salmon is found in the San Joaquin river past Grayson. He has not received any later shipments of the Mendocino pheasants from the California Fish and Game Commission.

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FOUND BY YOU ARE GOING TO BUILD your window and doors at the Fresno Planning Mill, south 1st street.

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## FOR SALE-MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE-SWEET POTATO, TOMATO and all kinds of plants for sale. 30 cents per 100; 75 cents per 500. Call at 432 E. 1st street.

FOR SALE-ORANGE-FINE FAMILY DRIVING horse; large enough for anyone. G. A. Shattuck, 1047 1st street.

FOR SALE-OR EXCHANGE FOR improved riding horse. Inquire at Fresno city hall in Fresno, on a corner. Inquire with time R. E. Beckwith, 1157 E. street, or of Miss Gene Beckwith, same place, Saturday, between 2 and 3 p. m.

FOR SALE-FRESH BURNHAM COWS; 15 A head; one mile north and one-half mile east of Fresno. P. O. corner Orange avenue and Western street. George Hardie.

FOR SALE-ROGS FROM BLACK MINOR. cas. Bud. Brown and White Leathers. In real. P. O. corner Orange avenue and Western street. George Hardie.

FOR SALE-GOOD HORSE, GARY and harness, or trade for bicycle. Call at 1021 N. street.

FOR SALE-A JERSEY COW. Call at 1021 N. street. Mrs. Paquin.

FOR SALE-600 FEET OF 3/4" AND 2 inch steel wrought iron pipe at a low figure. See manager. 117 E. 1st street, Sacramento.

FOR SALE-GOOD PAYING BUSINESS; amount required very small. Address, box 7, this office.

FOR SALE-TWO LOTS: FOUR-ROOM house, barn, well and pump; all fenced; cheap for spot cash. J. O. Anderson, 1021 N. street.

FOR SALE-CYCLONE WINDMILL AND tower in good repair. Inquire at Fresno Nursery, opposite Hughes hotel.

FOR SALE-THREE NICK CUTGASSES, WELL located. Inquire G. W. Musick, Fresno, Cal.

FOR SALE-B. P. ROCK EGGS, BRED by F. H. Bradley, 117 E. 1st street.

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FOR SALE-OR TRADE FOR IMPROVED city property. 1016 E. 1st street.

FOR SALE-THREE SHAWLS WATER stock in Enterprise Canal and Irrigation Company. J. G. Anderson, 1021 N. street.

FOR SALE-HORSES AND MULES IN CAR load lots or quantities to suit. L. F. Ward, 1021 N. street.

## A MASQUE BALL.

Jolly Time at the Crescent School House Friday Night.

A grand masque ball was given at the Crescent school house last Friday evening by the W.A.O.T. Club.

The attendance was the largest ever had there, and all seemed to enjoy themselves.

The music was furnished by Messrs. Ballard and Johnson, and was a credit to the young men.

Among those present and some of the costumes worn: Miss Freda Von Helm, haysed bride; Tena Francis, the belle of the ball; May Williamson, "Little Red Riding Hood"; Frankie Genocchio and Mary Genocchio, "Two Little Girls in Blue"; Lillie Genocchio, queen of hearts; Ethel Boyd, paper girl; Billie Goodall, Della Wiley, Hallie Wiley, Nina Carmichael; Messieurs Frank Harris, (ambiguously girl); D. O. Francis Klonyke lady; P. Kanawyer, C. L. L. Wilson, W. Lloyd, L. Goodell, T. Cowan, Walters, Mack; Messrs. George Chaulson, Klondyke miper; W. O. Caruthers Jr., "Sweet Marie"; Bert Brooks, haysed groom; L. W. Caruthers, a bloomer girl; William Lloyd, a clown; George Francis, clown; Henry Reamer, colored lady; Goodell, White, Taylor, Diaz, Motley, Mutchler, D. Francis, Brooks, Wilson, Ballard, Johnson, Carmichael, Smith, Harris, Cowan, Brown, Robinson, Ashurst, McDonald, Goodell, Bentley, Harold and Williamson.

Miss Tena Francis was awarded the prize for the best sustained character, the belle of the ball.

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## THE UNITY SOCIETY.

An Interesting Lecture By Mrs. Carr on Sunday.

For the first time since its former pastor, Dr. Gardner, disappeared several years ago the Fresno Unity Society held services on last Sunday morning.

Mrs. Sarah Pratt Carr lectured on "The Forward March" to a large audience in Edgerly hall.

Her subject dealt with the evolution of religion. In simple words she described the growth of religion from the crude conceptions of the untutored savage to the present day of enlightenment.

She is a pleasant speaker, but depends more upon her ideas to stir her congregation than upon flights of oratory.

The Unity society was well pleased with the lecture and by a rising vote decided to have Mrs. Carr continue her ministrations during April.

Firman E. Church is president of the Unity society and Miss Carr Russell secretary.

The society at the time of Dr. Gardner's disappearance had 250 members. It is intended to revive the society and make it an active force for good in Fresno.

The present officers will continue until July, when an election will be held.

Will Attend Grand Lodge.

Last night the following persons left for San Francisco to attend as delegates to the Grand Lodge of the A. O. U. W.:

Al Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Albin, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bilby, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hines, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Collier, T. H. Hilton, G. F. Dowell and A. Estabrook.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rudy start for San Francisco tonight, from which place they will call for Cook's Island, Alaska, with the busy party, about the middle of month.

## SUNDAY'S GAME

The Visitors Led by One Tally.

Fresno vs. San Francisco at Athletic Park.

The Home Team Did Very Fair Work-Good Individual Playing.

There was a large number of spectators at Athletic park Sunday afternoon to witness the first baseball game of the season, which was played by the Fresno and San Francisco. The bleachers were well filled with a good-humored crowd, as was demonstrated by the way in which the delay in starting the game was taken. No one seemed to mind waiting and throughout the game there was an inclination to overlook any wild playing. The cranks were not on hand to criticize, but to give the boys a good reception at their initial game.

The delay in commencing the game before referred to was caused by Parker being placed on the bench, as he was not in good condition. Pete Donahoe was called upon to take his place, and as Pete is slow about everything excepting baseball it took him nearly an hour to secure a suit and appear on the diamond ready for business.

Field and Snyder were in the points for the Fresno and Brackhoff and Strocker were the battery for the San Francisco. The San Francisco were first at the bat and scored three runs in the inning. Krug went to first on balls.

Hearty hit the ball to left field and Monroe dropped it. Murphy was up next and fanned out. Kelly struck the ball to center field and Mertes failed to reach it. Krug came in and tallied.

Two off curves by Hall allowed Hearty and Kelly to make the home plate. Brackhoff and Strocker were struck out.

Britton was first up for Fresno. He played a waiting game and took his base on balls. McLaughlin went to first on the same play. Britton stole third and McLaughlin slid to second; then Hearty hit a ball to left field. Britton scored and McLaughlin reached third. McLaughlin scored on a wild pitch. Two-way and Donahoe were not out on a clever double play at first and second. The score stood 2 to 3 in favor of the visitors.

Neither club scored in the second inning. In the third inning the home team were even, each side making three runs. Hearty made a base hit and Snyder scored. Donahoe was up next and fanned out. Hearty scored down in the fourth inning and both sides played good ball. Nethu club scored.

The visitors secured two tallies in the fifth and Fresno failed to score. Neither scored in the sixth. The San Francisco were returned to the field without scoring in the seventh, and the home team did some clever work. Hearty, Tawney and Hayes came to the home plate, trying the score in the eighth, but in the ninth inning Hearty made a run for the visitors. Fresno failed to score and the game stood 2 to 3. Following is the official score:

## SAN FRANCISCO.

	AB	R	B	BB	PO	A	E
Krug, 2b.	2	1	2	1	2	4	1
Hearty, 1b.	5	2	2	1	2	4	0
Murphy, 3b.	1	1	0	1	1	1	0
Kelly, 2b.	6	2	0	1	1	1	1
Britton, 2b.	1	1	0	1	1	1	0
Strocker, 2b.	1	1	0	1	1	1	0
Hearty, 1b.	5	1	2	1	1	1	0
Donahoe, 1b.	1	1	0	1	1	1	0
Connelly, 2b.	4	0	2	1	1	1	0
Parker, 2b.	2	0	0	1	1	1	0
Total	41	0	18	3	27	11	5

## FRESNO ATHLETICS.

	AB	R	B	BB	PO	A	E
Britton, 2b.	3	2	3	1	2	4	0
McLaughlin, 3b.	3	2	3	1	1	4	0
Hearty, 1b.	3	1	1	1	1	1	0
Donahoe, 1b.	3	1	1	1	1	1	0
Tawney, 1b.	3	1	1	1	1	1	0
Hayes, 1b.	3	1	1	1	1	1	0
Britton, 1b.	3	1	1	1	1	1	0
Noahoe, 1b.	3	1	1	1	1	1	0
Mertes, 1b.	3	1	1	1	1	1	0
Total	33	8	6	7	13	8	0

Two-base hits-Krug, Murphy, Kelly. Double play-Krug to Hearty. Sacrifice fly-Hearty, Murphy. First base on called balls-Off Hearty, 4; Brock, 7. Struck out-By Hearty, 5; Brackhoff, 5. Left on bases-Fresno, 5; San Francisco, 3. First time out errors-Fresno, 3; San Francisco, 4. Passed balls-Snyder, 3. Field mistakes-By Brackhoff, 2. Time of game-2 hours.

Umpire-G. Burleigh and Sam Ferguson. Chief scorer-A. Anderson.

## NOTES.

Hayes had an off day.

The boys made a good showing.

With a few practice games the Fresno will be a strong team.

It would be a good idea to forbid smoking in the grand stand.

There will have to be a little wedding in the Fresno team to make it perfect.

The cranks have great faith in Snyder and Tawney and expect some clever work out of them.

"Dad" Britton and McLaughlin were favorites on account of their clever work. McLaughlin is a fine acquisition.

Hearty is one of the cleverest players that has been seen in Fresno. He is a good man at any place on the diamond.

The Fresno boys complained of the heat, but they will soon be acclimated and in good physical trim to do fast ball playing.

There was little betting on the game, as it was expected that the score would be about two to one in favor of the visitors. The spectators were agreeably surprised by the way the Fresno scored.

The Pleasanton Hotel Sold.

Walter J. Urridge purchased the Pleasanton hotel property yesterday from the Roberts Estate Company for \$16,000.

The hotel will continue under the management of Al Baker, it is said, as he has a lease on the property. Much English money is being invested in this county the present season.

## Picnic.

The Grangeville Lodge, I. O. O. F., will give a picnic at Kilgore grove near Grangeville on April 30th. Everyone invited to attend.

## Notice to Rebekahs.

Friendship Rebekah Lodge No. 211 meets the first and third Wednesday of each month. By order of

Lillian Scott, Noble Grand.

## A perfect harvest of low prices on Clothing and Furnishing Goods at the creditors' sale of the Mechanics' Store stock, beginning Saturday morning.

## SEMI-CENTENNIAL.

Spiritualists Celebrate Their Half Century Anniversary.

In their semi-centennial celebration last Sunday evening, the Fresno Spiritualists had a red-letter day. Their hall was profusely and tastefully decorated with flowers, and the audience was all that Edgerly hall could accommodate.

The music was good throughout, some of the solos being exceptionally fine. Mrs. H. Cowell, an Oakland medium, gave an account of the influence of soul development under the spiritual dispensation, rather than the history of modern spiritualism. She spoke of the great good works of Christianity in the past, but believed that the time had come for spiritualism to broaden and deepen the core principle and spiritual in human nature. Many tests were given after the address, and in some instances they were quite remarkable.

The program was as follows: Singing by the congregation; invocation; instrumental trio, Messrs. Holden, McCray and Miss Baker; an Oakland solo, Professor Keller; introduction of Mrs. Cowell, G. S. Holden; lecture, Mrs. Cowell; hymn, congregation; and tests, Mrs. Cowell.

## Ministers Denur.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:-The undersigned members of the Ministerial Union of Fresno ask space in your columns to protest against the wanton and malicious innuendo which they were subjected in the columns of the Fresno Republican of Saturday, April 2nd. We refer to the paragraph in "Random Remarks" in which the writer, one "R. M.," charges the ministers generally with striving to exalt themselves as the most important personages at weddings, by writing their names in the middle of marriage notices instead of at the end.

This is not the first approved and malicious innuendo from this same individual. Once before our united protest against a similar affront was withheld from publication on the promise of the editor of the Republican that the offense should not be repeated. This promise has not been kept. We have no recourse, therefore, but, in this public manner, to demand for ourselves the same respectful treatment, as a class, that is accorded to men in other walks of life.

J. M. French, First Baptist church; C. S. Munn, Belmont Avenue Presbyterian; L. T. Burbank, Armenian Church; W. H. Martin, First Christian; J. E. Carpenter, M. E. S.; W. L. Cooke, Congregationalist; E. McElroy; J. W. Gray, Baptist; A. A. Graves.

## PERSONAL.

I. F. Poston was over from Oil City yesterday.

Edward E. Griffin arrived from La Salle, Colorado, yesterday.

G. W. Terrill and T. R. Draver were up from Selma yesterday on business.

K. W. Brown, the oil operator, was up from Selma yesterday on a business trip.

Mrs. John D. Gray is over from Santa Cruz on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lee L. Gray.

Miss Irene White has returned from San Francisco, where she has been visiting her aunt.

Perot Mott, a member of the Reliance Club Wheelmen of Oakland, is in town representing a bicycle house.

## A New Departure.

Beginning April 1st, the Santa Fe route will have from attendant service at their Dearborn-street station, Chicago, and convenient and reliable carriages and cabs have been arranged for. The attendants will wear blue uniforms and red caps. They will meet all through trains and assist passengers to find omnibuses, street cars, carriages, etc. Strictly first-class cabs, coupes and carriages will be promptly furnished at rates established by city ordinance, the company operating same having its office opposite the main ticket counter in the northeast corner of the station. Efficient service, reasonable fares and courteous treatment are assured.

## ANOTHER DIVIDEND.

The Kanaka Yields Another Dollar a Share.

The directors of the Tulare County Mining and Development Company at a meeting held last Saturday declared the second dividend of \$1 a share on the capital stock of the company, payable at the office of the company on or after April 6th.

Guaranteed cure for chills and fever at the Golden Rule Drug Store, 1730 Mariposa street.

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